IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

JIMMY PEREZ OLIVO *

Petitioner *

v. * CIVIL NO. 97-2068 (SEC)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA *

Respondent *

NOTICE OF APPEAL

TO THE HONORABLE COURT:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that the petitioner Jimmy Perez Olivo, acting pro se for the purpose of this notice, hereby appeals from the Order entered on November 27, 2001, served/received, by regular mail, on December 3, 2001, [Re: Motion for Recusal] Docket No. 96.

The petitioner appeals from each and every part of such ruling where the court ruled that "Petitioner's request for recusal (sic) is **DENIED** as no showing of impartiality or bias has been made."

Petitioner appeals from each and every part of said Ruling/Order (Docket No. 96) thereon as well as from the whole thereof.

Petitioner herein respectfully request the following:

1. An Order granting leave to proceed in forma pauperis. RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

In M.D.C. Guaynabo, P.R., this $\beta 1$ st day of December 2001.

Jimmy Perez Olivo, pro-se

Reg. No. 125/6-069

M.D.C. Guaynabo, A-A/Cadre San Juan, P.R. 00922-2147

No ford.

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